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June 9, 1978

Dear Senator Church:

Thank you for your June 1 request for information concerning Federico Jorge Tatter, who was abducted in Argentina in 1976.

Our Embassy in Buenos Aires is aware of Mr. Tatter's disappearance but has no information of his whereabouts. I haveabled the Embassy informing them of your interest in this case and asking them to present a request for information about Mr. Tatter to the Argentine Foreign Ministry Working Group on Human Rights.

When we have further information of Mr. Tatter I will let your office know.

Sincerely,

Douglas J. Bennet, Jr.

Assistant Secretary

Enclosure:

Correspondence returned. for Congressional Relations

The Honorable

Frank Church,

The United States Senate.

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